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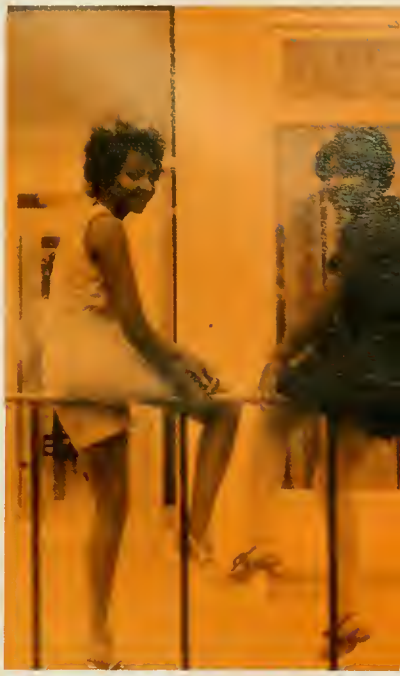

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Joseph Bryant

On to Raleigh to Save Our Schools

STANDING: *George Pulley and Darryl Morris.* SEATED, L. TO R.: *Juan Moore, Kenneth Pugh and Clotell Bishop*

Homecoming

President Thorpe presents bouquet to Miss Carrie Graham, Homecoming Queen.

Mr. Willie B. Spence, General Alumni Association President, crowns Mrs. Ethel Sutton, Alumni Queen.

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Kappa Delta Pi

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Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges

Alpha Phi Gamma Fraternity

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Pre-Alumni Association

United Christian Religious Fellowship

Religious Emphasis Week Panel Discussion on Drug Abuse

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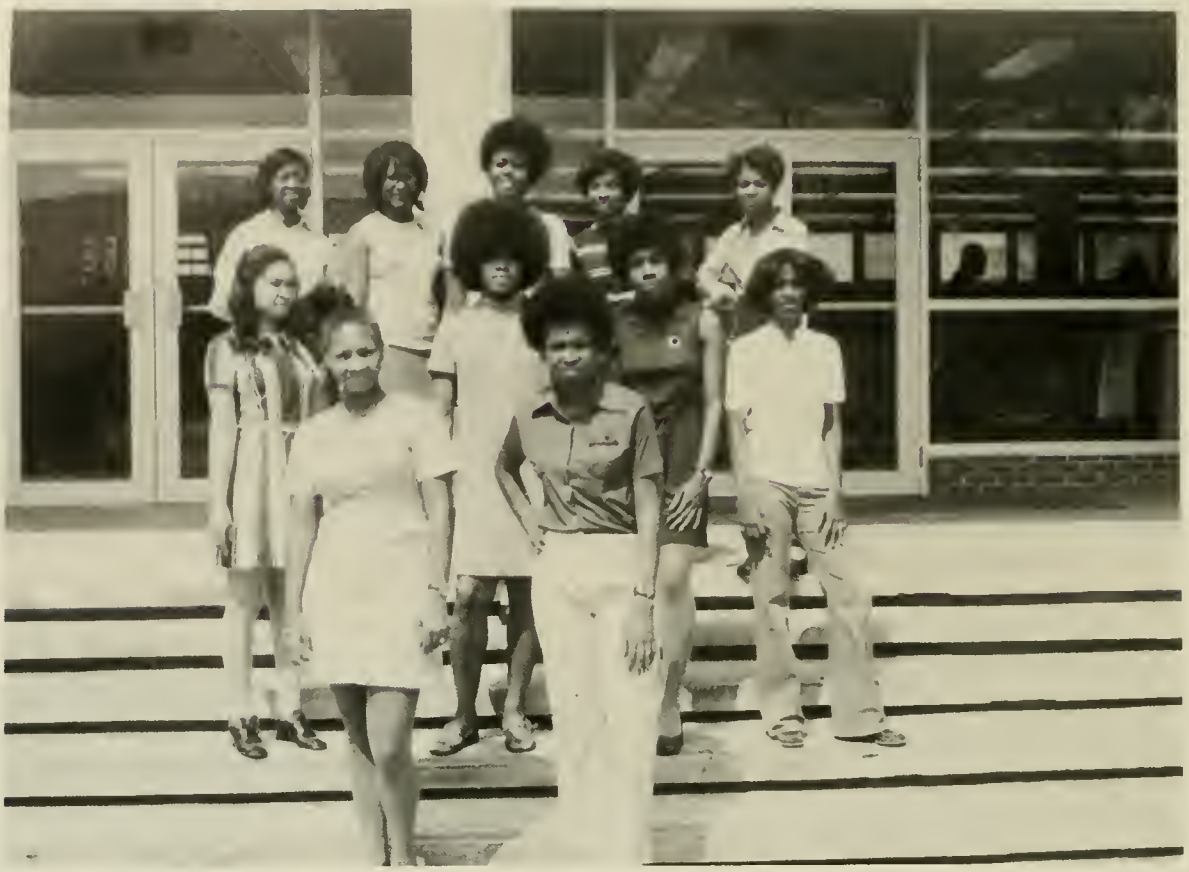

Veterans Club

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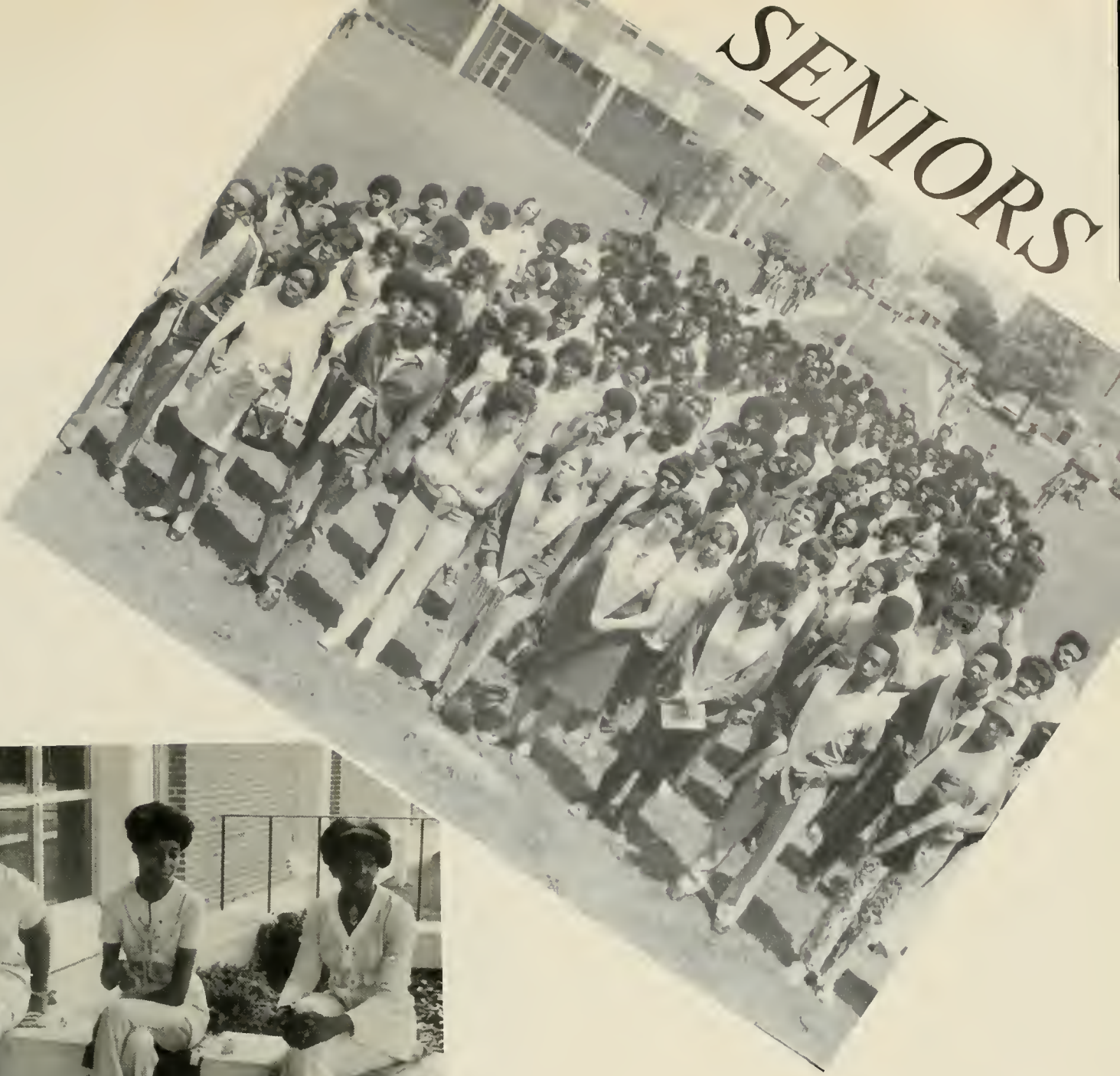

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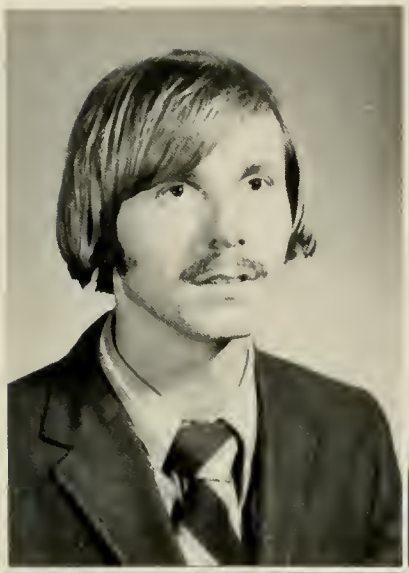

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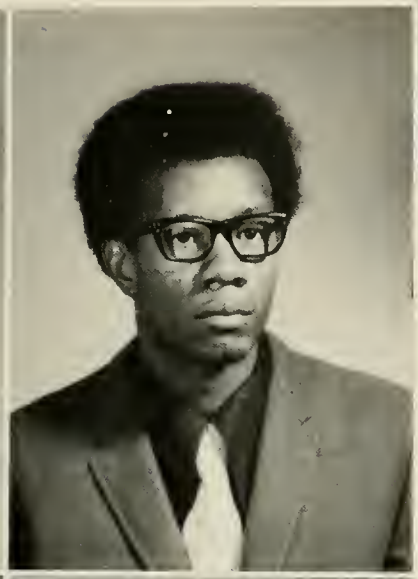

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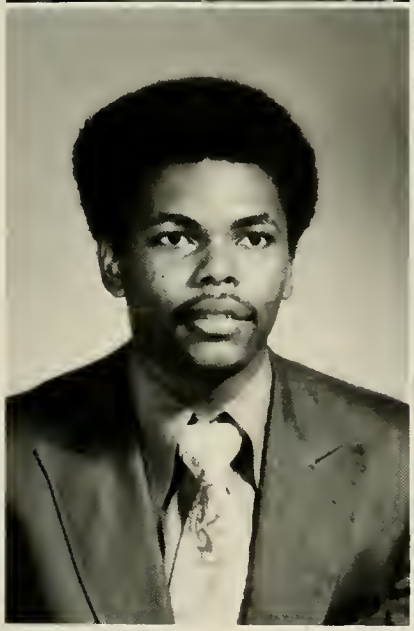

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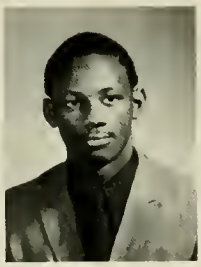
Juniors



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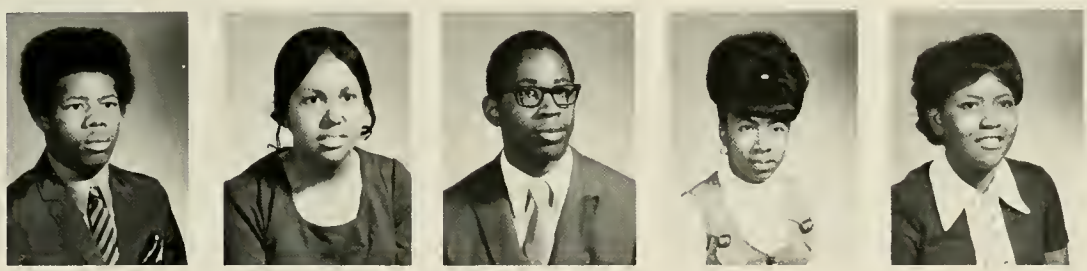

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Crescent Club

Archonian Club

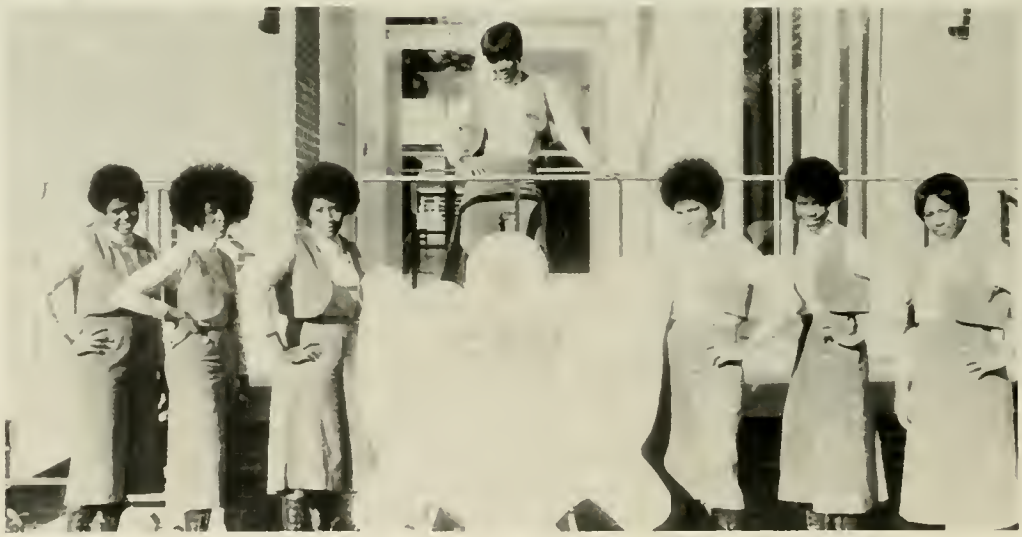
Zeta Phi Beta

Kappa Alpha Psi

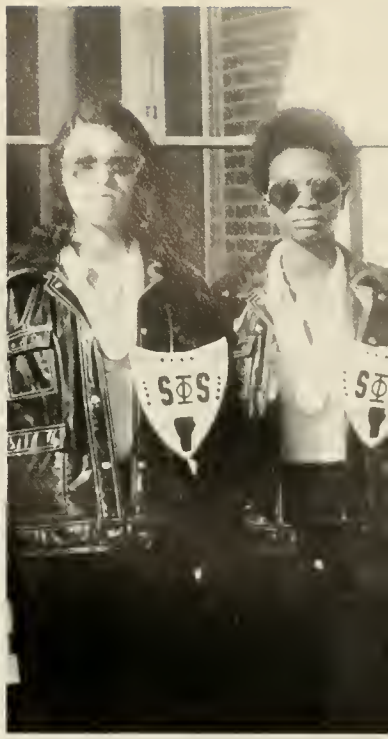
Scrollers Club

Sigma Gamma Rho

Aurora Club



Swing Phi Swing



Ladybugs

Groove Phi Groove

Swanxmen

Omega Psi Phi

Lampados Club

Delta Sigma Theta

Pyramid Club

Alpha Kappa Alpha

Ivy Leaf Club

Sphinx Club

Hell Week . . .

Iota Phi Theta

Gamma Sigma Sigma

Alpha Phi Omega

Trefoil Club

Fine Arts Festival

Dr. David Driskell
Chairman of Fisk University Art Department

Miss Pauline Goza reads poetry

Mr. Gordon Myers, Baritone (center)

Mr. Elbert Watson
Norfolk State College Dance Artist

Display of African Art

Trombonists in "God's Trombones"

University Players in production, "The Man Who Came To Dinner"

Guests of the University

Attorney Carl B. Stokes
Former Mayor of Cleveland, Ohio

Gordon Myers
Baritone

North Carolina School of The Arts Clarion Wind Quintet

The Honorable C. DeLores Tucker
Secretary of State, Pennsylvania Christian Citizenship Day Speaker

Eleo Pomare
Dance Company Artist

Dr. Wendell P. Russell
President of Va. State College Honors Night Speaker

Rev. Cornell E. Tally
Religious Emphasis Week Speaker

The Lyric Players

Football

CIAA CHAMPIONS
CIAA NORTHERN DIVISION CHAMPIONS

Coaches: Roy F. Knight, Line Coach; Alvin T. Kelley, Defensive Coach; Thomas L. Caldwell, Head Coach; Samuel T. Holmes, Offensive Coach.

CIAA AWARDS PRESENTATIONS

FROM LEFT: L. D. Smith, CIAA Commissioner; Aly Khan Johnson, Co-Captain; Thomas L. Caldwell, Head Coach; Lawrence Harrell, Co-Captain; C.E. Gaines, CIAA President. Lawrence Harrell signed with the Kansas City Chiefs of the National Football League as a Free Agent.

CHEERLEADERS

Assistant Coach Alvin T. Kelley and Head Coach Robert L. Vaughan

Basketball Team

NAIA DISTRICT 29 CHAMPIONS

Represented NAIA DISTRICT 29 in the National Tournament at Kansas City

Leonard Carmichael
District 29 Most Valuable Player Small College All-American First Team selection

Coach Vaughan is congratulated after winning basketball game No. 300 by President Thorpe

Co-Captain Leonard Carmichael presents the game ball to Coach Vaughan after victory No. 300

Coach Roy F. Knight

Wrestling Team

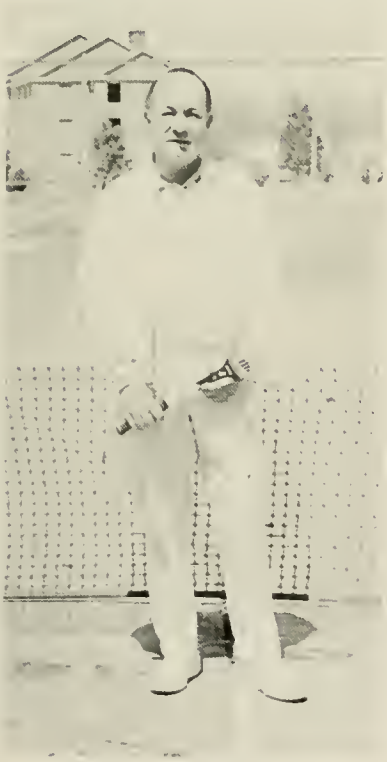
CIAA CHAMPIONS

Paul McCray
CIAA Heavyweight Champion

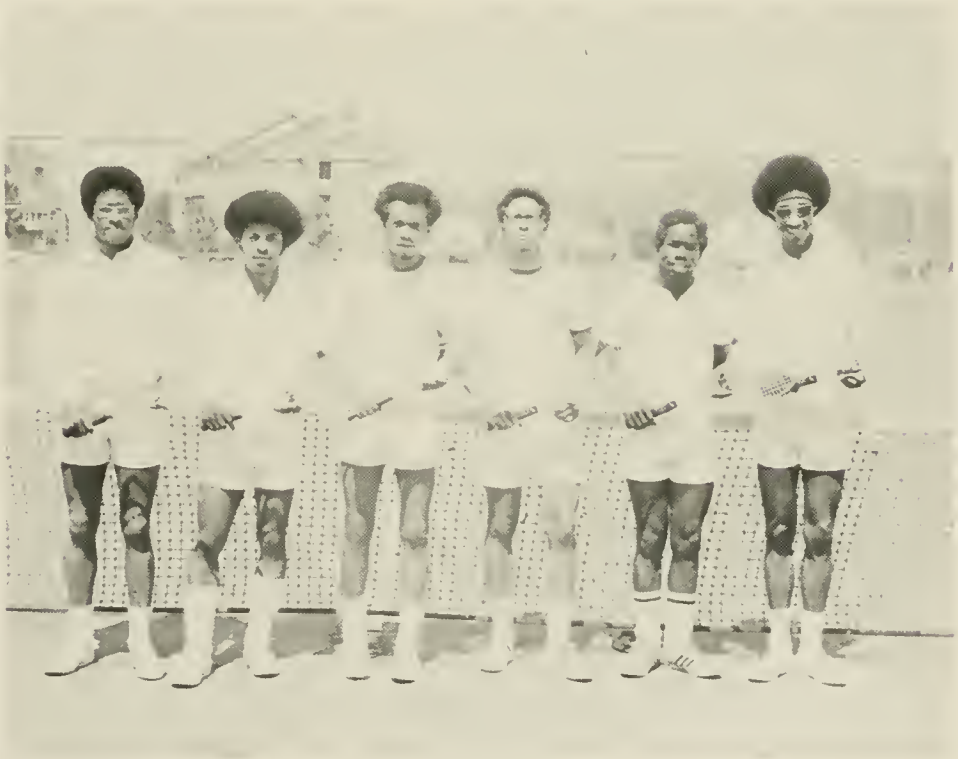
Track Team

Coach Samuel T. Holmes

Tennis Team



Coach Charles R. Penrose



Choral Ensemble

University Choir

Choir on European Tour

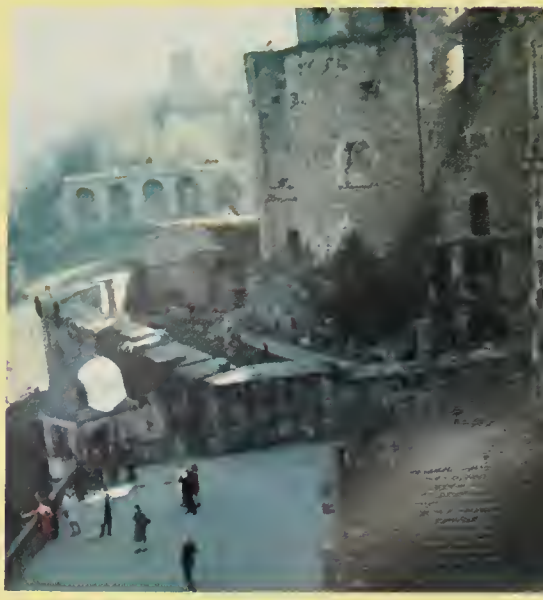
In Belgium

Miss Evelyn A. Johnson
Choir Director

In the Netherlands

Faculty Members, Mr. T.H. Wamack, Miss Evelyn A. Johnson, Mr. E.E. Manley and Mrs. Naomi A. Morgan dining in Heidelberg, Germany

In Germany



Castle in Germany

Dance Group

Mrs. Bonnie B. Smith, Director

"Sorry, Wrong Number"

University Players

"The Undercurrent"

"The Man Who Came to Dinner"

Concert Band

Mr. Floyd L. Robinson
Band Director

Marching Band

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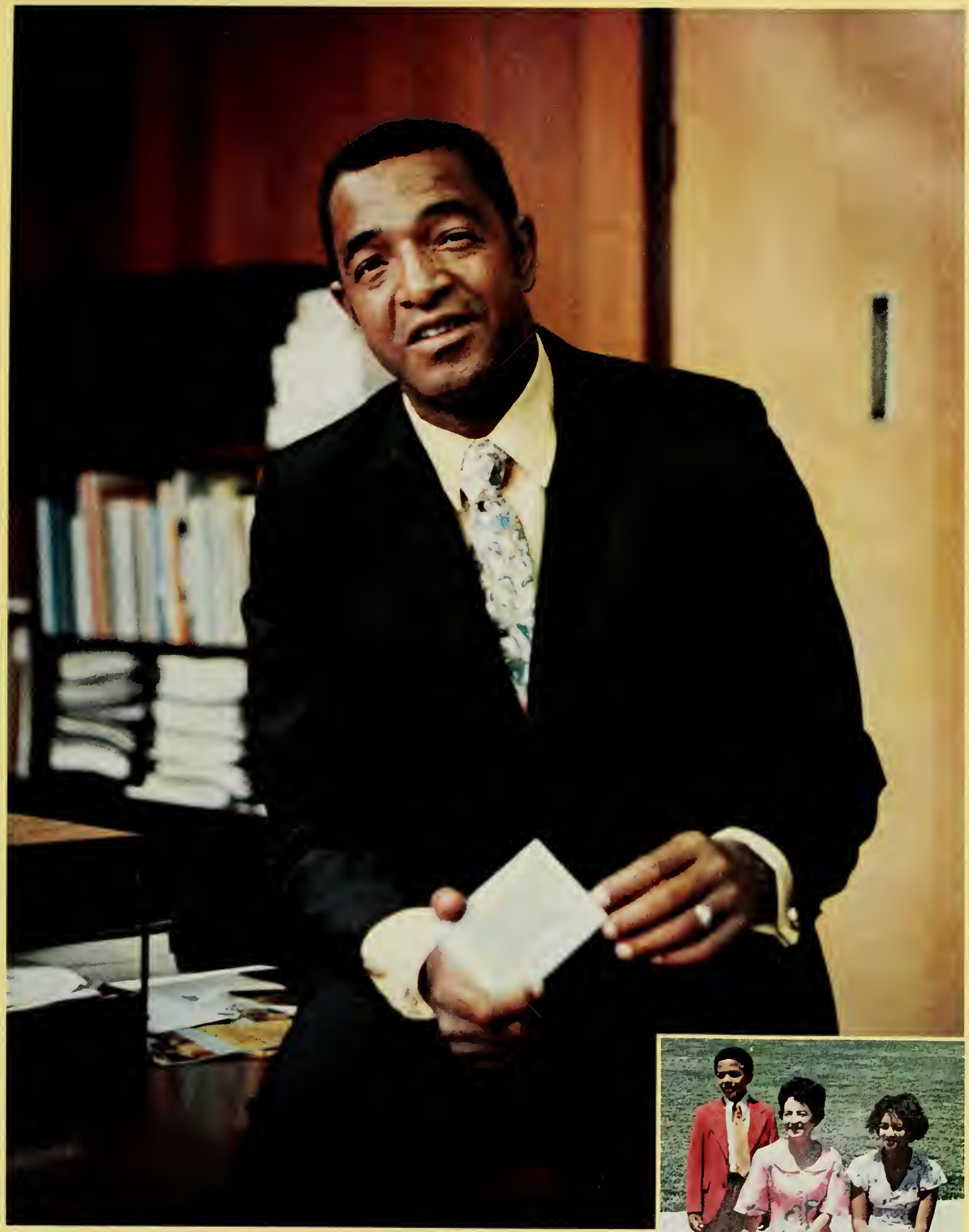

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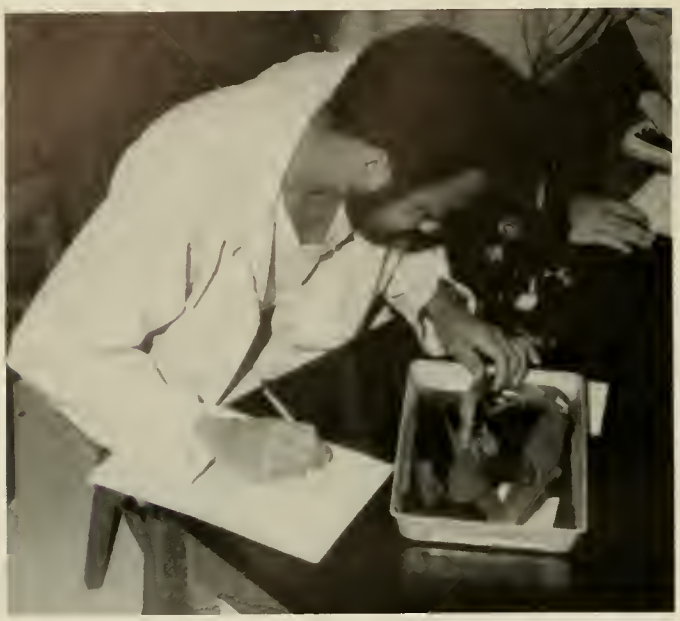

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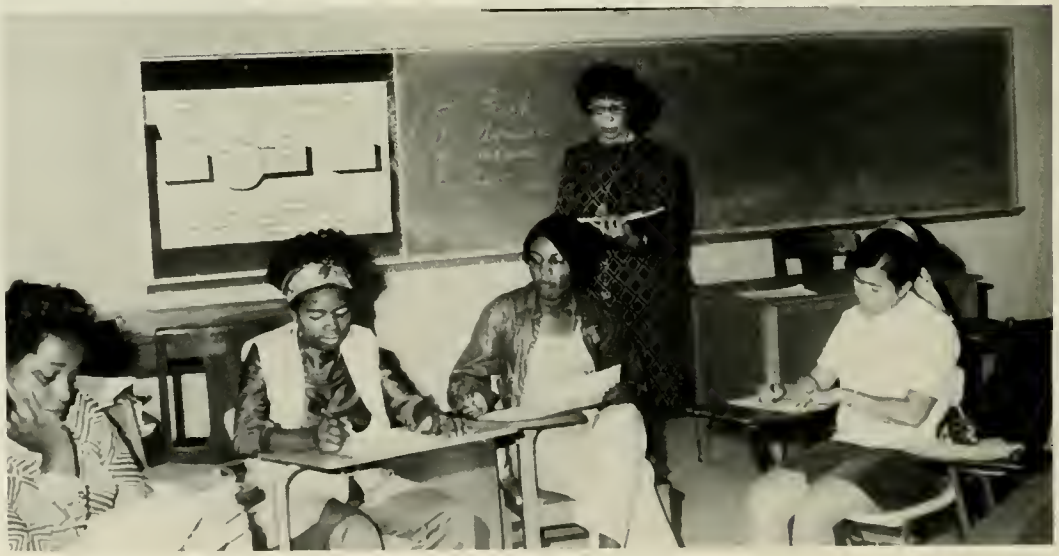

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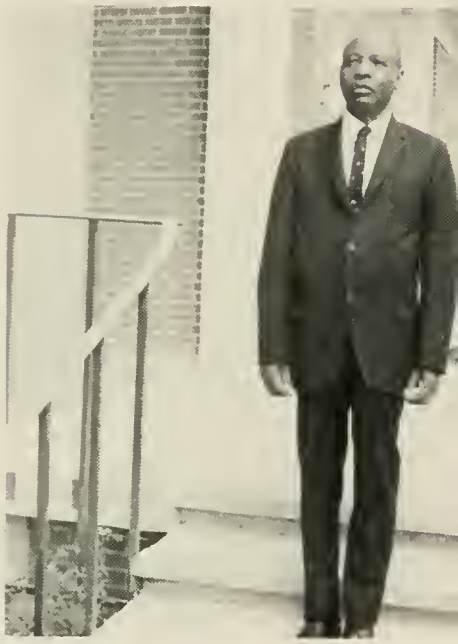

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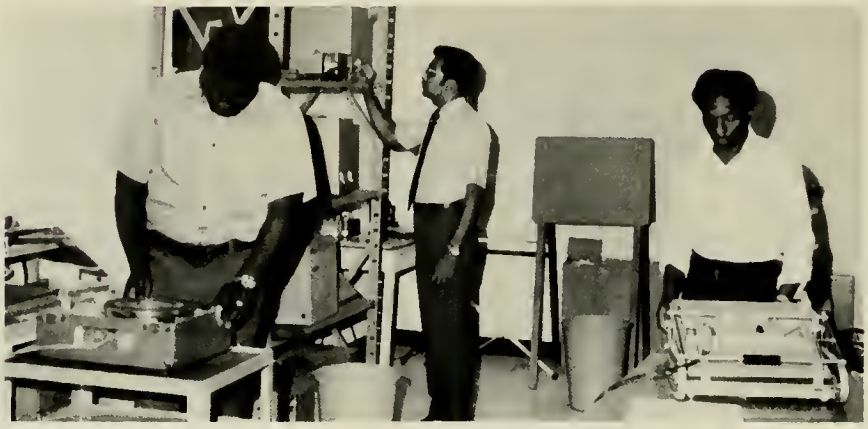

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Newly elected MISS ECSU, Miss Alean Anderton, (LEFT) *and Miss Carol Hawkins, Miss ECSU beginning the second semester 1971-1972.*

Miss Alean Anderton
MISS ECSU for 1972-1973

Miss Anderton with her family

Founders Day Activities

Attorney Julius L. Chambers, Founders Day Speaker, chats with a student.

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Mr. L.E. Sugg, Yearbook Advisor (CENTER) *confers with Donald Liverman* (LEFT) *and Ludford Etheridge, Design Editor* (SEATED).

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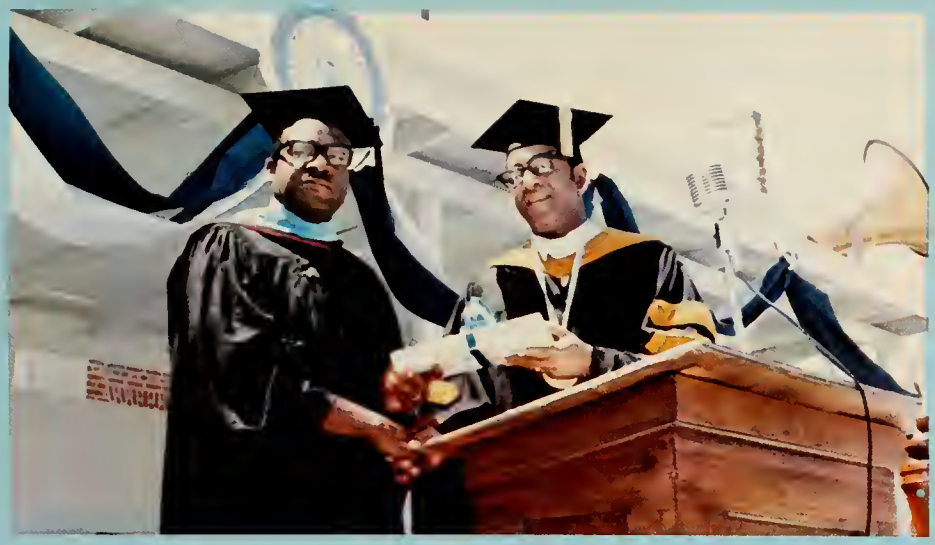
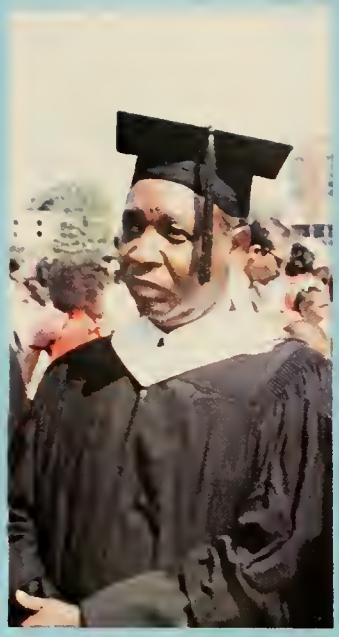
Commencement Speaker

Gary N. Harvey
Bearer of the Mace

A Degree Is Awarded



Mr. Willie B. Spence (LEFT), *President of the General Alumni Association, receives the Alumni Award for Outstanding Service from President Marion D. Thorpe.*



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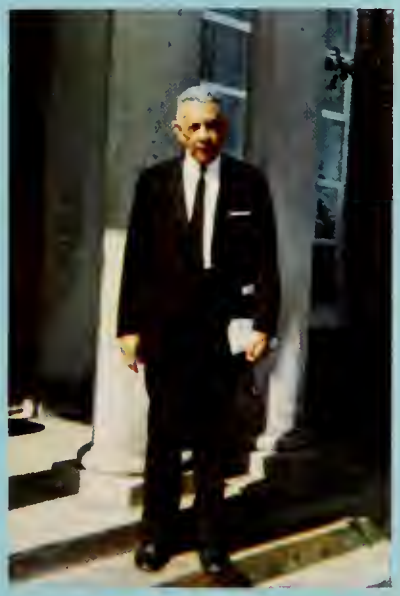
Recipient of the General Alumni Award for Teacher of the Year



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Darryl Morris, president
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The emphasis at ECSU is on youth. The university understands what it's like to be young and going places the future not only belongs to youth but youth and the future are synonymous .. students here are encouraged not simply to adjust to change but to help effect it, always striving as vigorously to retain that which is good as to discard the bad ... teachers and students have freedom for originality to achieve and to create with affection and enthusiasm ... neither be "turned off" by educational practices and philosophies that they feel foreign to their life experience ... under sensitive and sympathetic guidance students are invited and challenged to assume a larger and more mature share of the responsibility for their own education ... the "expertise mystique" has been replaced by sincere candid dialogue throughout the university community

Edna Hathaway, president of the Women's Government Association for 1972-73

We live, we work, we play with ideas

Alean Anderton
Miss ECSU 1972-73

RELEVANCE AT ECSU IS RELEVANT

Herman Gay, Editor of the Viking

The ring. A SYMBOL OF ACCOMPLISHMENT

Betty Howard, President, Women's Government Association for 1971-72

Student representatives are members of most committees and boards, from the board of trustees on down, where policies and decisions originate affecting the general welfare of the university community.

Students learn the effect of group dynamics, the responsibility of leaders and the accountability of decision making.

Bias Hall

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Charles Evers, Mayor Fayette, Mississippi

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The academic focus at ECSU is aimed at self discovery . . . to seek new answers to new questions, to be innovative, responsive and responsible . . . proud of their past and confident of the future

"Relevance in education is not denying the importance of academic excellence . . . Gary Harvey, magna cum laude graduate 1972, carries the symbol of his achievement

Dr. Marion D. Thorpe, president, congratulates a candidate

ADMINISTRATION

The only senior college within this area of Eastern North Carolina, ECSU has increasing potential to serve students from all areas of the nation. With vigorous diligence and expertise the administration has brought to fruition the enhancement of qualities relevant to the needs of youth for the contradictions and confusion of society.

Dr. Marion D Thorpe, Chancellor

Dr. Floyd B. Holly
Academic Dean

N C. McNair
Director of Development

Of the 470,000 blacks enrolled in colleges in the United States, thirty-seven per cent attend predominently black colleges. The long standing record of remarkable success by any measurement is phenomenal considering the fact that forty per cent of the enrollment comes from families with less than a $4,000 annual income.

The impact of its influence in the future will be more significant because its publics will be more oriented to its goals and will have a greater appreciation for its services, programs and worth to the community.

Jeff E. Smith, Director of the Office of Recruitment, Admissions, Registration and Records

Dr. Ernest A. Finney
Director Summer School and Acting Chairman of the Education Department

James H. Townes, Acting Asst. to the President

Maceo A. Sloan and Lorimer W. Midgett

Darryl Morris, Pres. Student Govt. Assn.

C.W. Griffin, chairman, chats with Dr. C.B. Jones Sr., vice-chairman

J.J. Harrington, J.W. Forbes, C.W. Griffin

President Marion D. Thorpe appears before the board

Absorbed in paper work are Dr. W.W. Hoffler, Dr. Kermit E. White and John C. Bias

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES Elizabeth City State University

Empowered with the authority to "shape the University," the Board of Trustees has done an outstanding job in helping to establish the present margin of excellence at Elizabeth City State University. The Board of Trustees, as a body, states that the last five years of the university's accomplishments, growths, images, and impacts have been phenomenoms of great excellence. Appointments to the Board by the governor have brought a wide cross-section of professional extertise and state representation to this governing body. Certainly the accomplished fact of student representation on the Board of Trustees and the appointment of Maceo Sloan to the state's 32 member Board of Governors will help to keep this university in tune with the times, tomorrow and beyond. The present Board of Trustees wishes to thank McDonald Dixon of Edenton for his dedicated leadership and many years of service prior to retiring as chairman in 1971.

Pictured LEFT TO RIGHT SEATED ARE: *Andrew H. Williams, Joseph J. Harrington, J. Wilbert Forbes, Dr. Marion D. Thorpe, University president, Clarence W. Griffin, chairman* STANDING LEFT TO RIGHT ARE: *Dr. William W. Hoffler, Maceo I. Sloan, Lorimer W. Midgett, Dr. Kermit E. White, Dr. C.B. Jones Sr., vice-chairman, John C. Bias and student representative, Darryl Morris, president student government*

ECSU ENTERS A NEW ERA . . . *Now a part of the 16 school University of North Carolina*

On July the first, Elizabeth City State University became a part of the legally restructured University of North Carolina. For eighty years ECSU has been the only senior college within this area of Eastern North Carolina. Until recently the university has served only black students. Now the student body and faculty are integrated. Within the past five years there has been marked progress in areas of University-community relations, cooperative education, cluster program, academics, student services, public relations, capital improvements and expansion of recreational facilities.

J. Holland Webster

Former Mayor of Elizabeth City, N.C.

W.B. Spence, President General Alumni Association

Miss Evelyn Johnson, venerable professor of music, sees the future of ECSU as limitless.

The accomplishments within the past five years have been significant; the reaffirmation of accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, The Founding of the ECSU Foundation, expansion of curriculum offerings, European tour of the University choir, athletic championships, and others.

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June 16, 1972

Dr. Marion D. Thorpe, President
Elizabeth City State University
Elizabeth City, North Carolina

Dear Doctor Thorpe:

On behalf of the City of Elizabeth City it is a pleasure for me to express to you my deep appreciation for the exceptional leadership the Elizabeth City State University has contributed to our City under your guidance during the past five years. I consider the University one of our finest assets and flourishing industries. The interest that is shown in community affairs and activities by you and your colleagues assists greatly in reaching solutions to community problems.

If Elizabeth City continues to grow and prosper, it will need the continued support of the University.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

John H. Bell, Jr.

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Mayor

JHBjr/mh

J. H. Bell
Mayor of Elizabeth City North Carolina

Rev. J.R.R. McRay, Pastor of Corner Stone Missionary Baptist Church for half century

Mrs. Ruth B. Jones, President of the North Carolina Association of Educators

ECSU CHOIR GOES TO EUROPE

A highlight of the spring European concert tour was an appearance near Luxembourg on the steps of the Memorial Chapel dedicated to all American soldiers who lost their lives in World War II.

The choir is directed by Miss Evelyn Johnson.

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